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BRYAN TEXAS, WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT 9, 1907

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## PRESIDENTS COMPLAIN. ALL OFFICERS RETAINED

Heads of Three Railway Lines Dissatisfied With

### REDUCTIONS SOME STATES

Have Made In the Matter of Passenger Fares, Ripley Declaring That His Company Will Abandon Contemplated Extensions.

New York, Oct. 8.—Complaints of anti-railroad legislation in various states characterize the annual reports of three railroad companies, just issued. The roads are the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Wabash and Chesapeake and Ohio.

President Ripley of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe says of rate reductions: "It is hoped and believed the public will soon realize that the recent attitude toward railroad companies in general has not been just to stockholders and bondholders, and unless the confidence of investors in the security and stability of railroad investments is restored it will be impossible to obtain the additional railway facilities which are necessary for the development of the country."

President Riley adds that the directors of his company have suspended various extensive projects contemplated and will limit the company's expenditures to the completion of improvements already decided upon.

President Stevens of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway says: "It would seem to be to the interest of communities and people served by its railroad lines that the revenues be not lessened or credit injured by further reducing rates that are now inadequate to meet the physical requirements of the property and yield returns which shareholders may rightfully and reasonably expect."

President A. Delano of the Wabash, speaking of the enactment of 2-cent passenger laws by Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri, says: "While these laws have not been effective during the fiscal year and we cannot, therefore, determine accurately the result, it is quite clear they must, if remaining in force, seriously effect our passenger revenues."

### KEENE DOES WELL.

His Horses This Year Win For Him So Far \$337,000.

New York, Oct. 8.—The latest victory of James R. Keene's two-year-old Colic in the matron stakes at Belmont park brings the total earnings of Mr. Keene's horses this year up to \$337,000—nearly \$100,000 in excess of the American record for a single stable in one year and only a few hundred dollars behind the world's record of \$377,554 held by the stable of the Duke of Portland. As there are nearly six weeks of the New York season for racing left, the Keene stable is practically certain to gain the world's winning record this year.

### EMERGENCY TREATMENT.

Prompt Action of Two Boys Saves the Life of One.

Denison, Oct. 8.—The twelve-year-old son of T. A. Collins, while pecan hunting, was bitten in the fleshy part of the lower leg twice by a copperhead snake.

A son of A. Grant was with him and the boys showed presence of mind by stabbing the wounds made by the reptile's fangs and making a torquise above the wound with a piece of cord.

The result was that when a physician arrived the only procedure necessary was to treat the wound antiseptically.

### Three Deserters Arrested.

Tangier, Morocco, Oct. 8.—Three German deserters from the French foreign legion at Casablanca have been captured. Frightened by threats of certain envoys, Mulai Hafig handed over to the customs authorities at Mazagan forty-four cases of cartridges recently carried across the sea there and which it was his intention to send to Casablanca.

### CASUAL STOCK INCREASED.

Ardmore, Oct. 8.—The Ardmore Loan and Trust company of this city at a meeting of the stockholders, decided to increase the capital stock to \$250,000. A number of Texas capitalists are interested in the enterprise.

### BREVITIES BUNCHES.

Pro majority in Grayson county, Texas, was 561.

Increase in Texas occupation taxes this year will be over \$100,000.

Solomon Weil, an aged and prominent citizen of Dallas, is dead.

New court of civil appeals at Texarkana held its first session Monday.

Artesian well at Rotan, Tex., is 800 feet deep. Boring still progresses.

Mr. M. M. Oglesby, a pioneer resident of Plano, Tex., passed away Monday.

Assessed valuations of the city of Dallas are \$49,592,254. Rate is \$1.90 on \$100.

Albert Shahan of Denton, Tex., a boy, drowned in Big Elm Fork of Trinity river.

## COTTON MEN MAKE NO CHANGES AT ATLANTA MEETING.

### SEVERAL SPEAKERS TALK

First Day's Session Enlivened by Some Interesting and Instructive Remarks on the Industry, Mike H. Thomas of Texas Participating.

Atlanta, Oct. 8.—All of the present officials of international conference of cotton growers and manufacturers were renominated. These officers are: James R. McCall, president, Providence, R. I.; C. W. McCara, vice-president, Manchester, Eng.; Harvie Jordan, vice-president, Atlanta; A. G. Turner, vice-president, Henrietta, N. C.; Charles S. Barrett, vice-president; Atwater, Ga.; C. J. H. Woodbury, secretary, Boston. The nominations were ratified by the conference.

The last hour of the morning session Monday was devoted to brief talks on the subject of closer trade relations between the growers and spinners, speaking alternately.

Congressman J. Thomas Heflin of Alabama, representing the growers, asserted that the speculator in cotton futures is responsible for violent fluctuations in the market and declared it his intention to introduce in the next session of congress, a bill to regulate cotton and other exchanges, to do any interstate business to prohibit gambling in futures compelling dealers in exchanges in good faith to deliver the cotton sold and the grade agreed upon at the time and place specified in the contract. He also said that he would introduce this in substance in the committee on contracts of the cotton exchanges and make it the subject of a resolution to be sent to congress and to the British parliament.

J. W. Wyatt of South Carolina, for the growers, presented Vice-Chairman McCara with four open cotton bolls of enormous size as an illustration of the resources of cultivation and to illustrate to European investors that American people can grow all the cotton for the world's consumption.

Herr Kuffer of Australia took the ground that if the planters improve their product and save the wastes of compressing, baling and transportation they will always receive amply remunerative prices. These remarks apparently reflected the sentiment of the other foreign delegates.

The afternoon was devoted to committee conferences in all of which lively discussions were heard.

Congressman Heflin of Lafayette, Ala., introduced a resolution against future speculation in the committee on the buying and selling, asking the conference to memorialize congress and the British parliament to adopt measures to stop speculation in cotton, except that actually owned, which developed strong opposition and heated debate. William Dodd, of England, announced that the British parliament had been similarly memorialized and had caused the Liverpool cotton exchange to be investigated and on the report of the committee refused to disturb the present system.

M. H. Thomas of Dallas, Tex., made a vigorous speech from the standpoint of a manufacturer in opposition. The resolution was referred to a subcommittee.

The committee on contracts and exchanges which is to make a report on uniform classification and contracts with exchanges will recommend the adoption of standard type either by the government or by an association of delegates for the cotton exchanges, cotton growers and spinners, and that the classification should be made upon grade and condition. A uniform will be recommended, embodying a standard contract of 50,000 pounds instead of 100 bales net weight; that actual tare be allowed and that the matter of damp in cotton should be permanently regulated by uniform rules of the cotton exchanges.

Chairman McAllister made a statement that the loss in transportation from improper compressing and baling is estimated at over twenty million dollars annually, and the cotton used of the European spinners.

In the committee on contracts and handling of cotton, sought through seed selection, improved ginning, and uniformity of bales was brought out by that fact the losses to foreign spinners from faulty baling and damage in the transport are so enormous that energetic steps have been made by the spinners to increase the output of foreign fields to the jeopardy delegates said. Lies in compressing and uniform baling. They also urged the adopting of the Egyptian method of baling.

### STATUTORY PROHIBITION.

Alabama Governor Will Include This Matter In His Call.

Birmingham, Oct. 8.—Governor Comer, who was here Monday, announced that the Alabama legislators would be convened in extra session Nov. 7. The official call will be issued within the next few days. The governor has decided to include statutory prohibition in the subjects to be considered. The call will embrace nothing of state importance except further regulation of railroads.

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BRYAN, TEXAS, OCT 8, 1907

Roosevelt's policy is a kind of crazy quilt, in which the only beautiful and durable scraps were woven in W. J. Bryan's loom.

The Washington Post predicts that the next congress will make the National Capital a dry town. An offset to the raising of congressmen's salaries.

"The concrete sidewalk fever is spreading all over the town," says the McKinney Courier Gazette. The cases in Bryan are sporadic, more's the pity.

The Scientific American of Oct. 5 contains an article on "The amount of energy consumed in speaking." If all the energy wasted in this way could be utilized, think what factories and trolley lines it would run.

The registration at the Texas State University has nearly reached the thousand mark. This is a good showing for the state, but it is a pity they are turning them away at the A. and M. College.—Beaumont Enterprise.

After reading carefully the first three numbers of Texas Republic we can think of only two things that escape condemnation; the republican party to which the editor, Maj. Mose Harris, is an eleventh hour convert—and San Antonio beer.

The Ft. Worth Livestock Exchange has plead guilty to the charge of violating the anti-trust laws of Texas, forfeited its charter and will have to pay a fine of \$17,500. The matter was reported in the news columns of the Eagle yesterday.

Judge Shannon of the Ft. Worth police court has fined a street masher \$100 and cost. After passing sentence the Judge added: "I will make an example of you as a warning to others who may be in the habit of standing on the streets posing as mashers and insulting every respectable woman who passes."

#### Meets at Battle Creek.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 8.—The convention of the National Manufacturers, Industrial association opened here Monday. The feature of the meeting was an address by President C. W. Post of this city. Mr. Post took strong grounds against labor unions and the closed shop.

#### Elgin Butter Output.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 8.—Butter output past week was 689,300 pounds.

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### RAILROAD COMMISSION

#### Listens to Arguments Relative to Depot Construction.

Austin, Oct. 8.—The railroad commission met Tuesday morning for the October term with a large attendance on account of numerous matters which were set for consideration. The entire morning session was devoted to depot matters.

The proposition to require the construction of a joint depot at Sherman by the Houston and Texas Central, Texas and Pacific and Frisco were passed until next hearing, when an order will either be issued or the proposition dismissed. Questions of better depot facilities at Snowtown on the Trinity and Brazos Valley and Palm Valley on the International were heard and taken under advisement.

Judge H. Rice of Marlin, the newly appointed associate justice of the Third court of appeals, reached here Tuesday and was sworn in.

Dutchess Fire Insurance company of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was licensed to do business in Texas by the insurance commissioner.

Commissioner of Agriculture Milner opened the ginnery reports according to law. Many more reports have been received this month than last.

J. Strickland, general manager of the Consolidated Construction company, arrived with \$25,000 to deposit with the city as required, to build the Austin dam. This means that the rebuilding of the dam is assured.

Ouster suit of state against Pullman company was set for Dec. 3 in Twenty-sixth district court.

#### SPEEDY HEARING.

#### State Wishes Waters-Pierce Matter Concluded at Early Date.

Austin, Oct. 8.—The state is determined to bring the receivership proceedings in the Waters-Pierce company to a conclusion as quickly as possible, and has filed a motion in the Third court of civil appeals to advance that case on the docket and give it a speedy hearing and determination. The motion to advance is made only in the receivership phase of the litigation, and is signed by all of the counsel for the state.

It is the appeal from the action of District Judge Brooks in appointing Robert J. Eckhardt as receiver. The motion shows these reasons:

1. That the state of Texas is a party to this cause.
2. That it involves the anti-trust laws of this state.
3. That the question of the validity of the appointment of a receiver is involved herein.

As soon as possible the court will decide and the case will be set probably for an early submission, maybe before the end of the month.

### SECTIONAL REPORTS.

#### Some Important Recommendations Made.

Atlanta, Oct. 8.—Reports of sectional committees and discussion of recommendations made formed the programme of Tuesday morning's session of the international conference of cotton growers and manufacturers. The conference was called to order at 10 o'clock by President Macoll, and the report of the committee on growing and handling of cotton, of which J. L. Maxwell of Louisiana is chairman, was called before the conference. The recommendations of this committee are as follows:

First—That all planters select and save seed for the next crop, the object being to insure a higher standard.

Second—That all cotton, after being picked, be housed from forty to sixty days before being sent to gins. European spinners have long complained of dampness of cotton received by them, the condition of which they have proven was not acquired in the hold of ships.

Third—That as fast as possible planters, either as individuals or in communities, adopt gin compressing. This is earnestly urged, notwithstanding the enormous expense it would entail, as it will relieve the cotton planters in great part of the exactions of the socalled compress trust and permit direct handling of the product of southern fields from planter to spinner.

Fourth—That the Egyptian form of bale be adopted as fast as possible. This bale has one more tie and one more binder than the American bale and burlap is used instead of jute in binding. The saving by it is asserted to be enormous.

Members of this sectional committee were much interested in the talk made by Secretary Pearson of the National Audubon society, who stated that through efforts of the department of agriculture it had discovered twenty-four species of carnivorous birds that feed on the worst of cotton pests—the boll weevil. The committee adopted a resolution urging the United States government to give financial support to the Audubon society in protecting these birds.

The report of the committee on transportation was also presented. The report recommended the adoption of a standard type of contract, either by the United States government or by the association of delegates from cotton exchanges, cotton growers and cotton spinners, and that classification be made upon the grade and color alone and not upon staple.

Both reports were discussed fully by delegates.

#### TWO TRAMPS KILLED.

Freight Train Smashed Up and Wreckage Is Consumed.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 8.—Two tramps were killed. Fireman Gilbert Ernst of Tacoma is missing and believed to be dead, and Engineer F. N. Myers of San Francisco and Brakeman Thomas are at Hot Springs seriously injured as a result of a wreck near Weston on the main line of the Northern Pacific. The train was an extra freight, west bound, consisting of thirty cars of hay, grain and live stock, a caboose and engine. The entire train was destroyed, the wreckage catching fire soon after the smash up. Trainmen declare that defective air brakes on a heavy grade caused the wreck.

#### Express Train Wrecked.

Genoa, Oct. 8.—The Paris-Rome express was wrecked at St. Pierre Arena. One person was killed and six wounded.

#### No YELLOW FEVER.

Gratifying Report Made Public by Maine Hospital Service Inspector.

New Orleans, Oct. 8.—The most striking absence of yellow fever in Central American countries in several years is the gist of the report made public by Dr. John N. Thomas, the United States marine hospital service inspector, just returned from an inspection of Central America. "I believe I can say positively," he said, "there has not been a case of yellow jack in any Central American country except Guatemala this year—at least in east ports. In Panama there has not been a single case of genuine yellow fever and I do not believe there has been a case on the entire isthmus."

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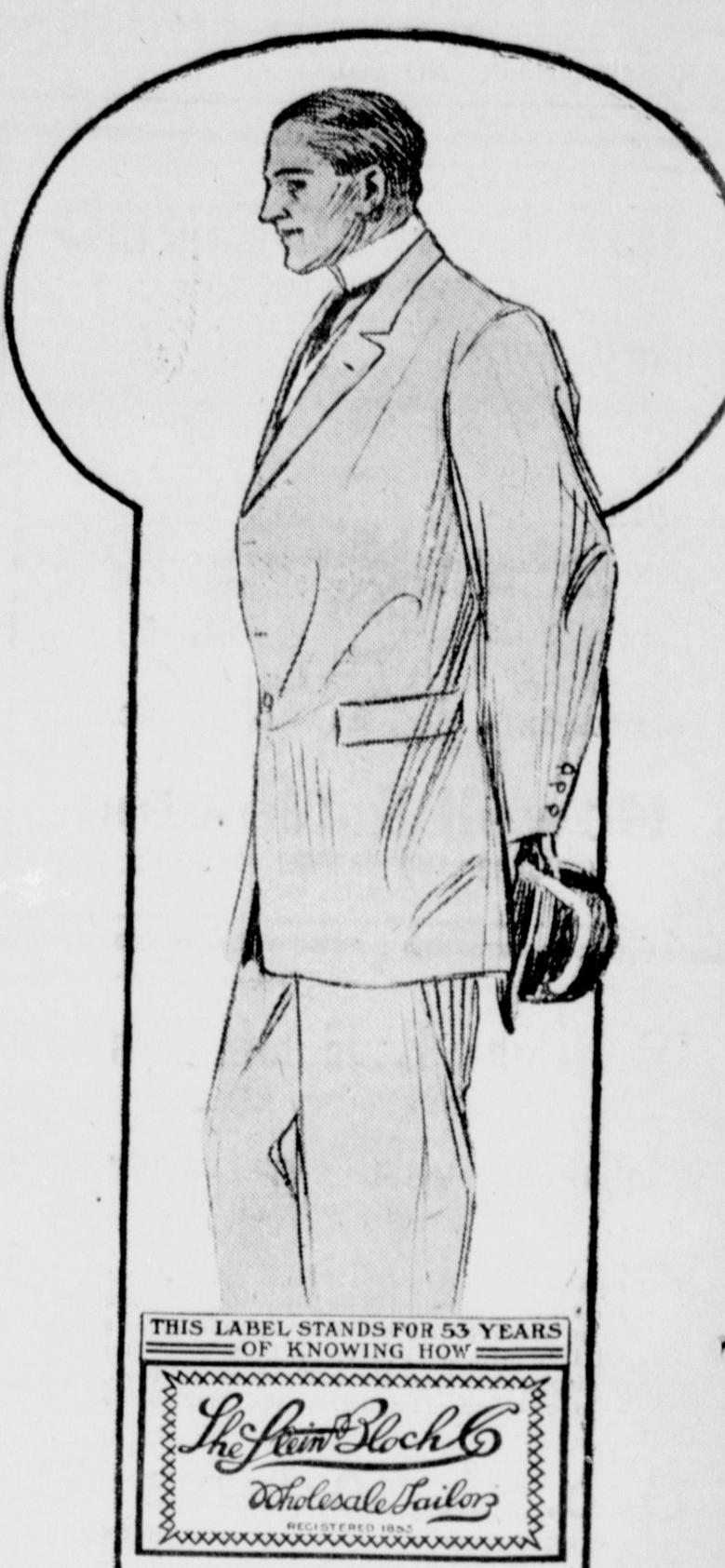
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## PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

### H. & T. C. SCHEDULE

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p. m.  
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a. m.  
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p. m.  
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a. m.

### I. & G. N. SCHEDULE

No. 102 North bound.....10:50 a. m.  
No. 101 South bound.....4:55 p. m.

Fresh Saratoga potatoe chips at Foun-

tain's. 261

G. M. Crow is here from Madison  
county.

Jas. Wilson Jr., of Edge was in the city  
yesterday.

Floyd Todd was a visitor from Harvey  
yesterday.

Try an electric massage at Winter's  
Barber Shop. 262

N. L. Outlaw of Reliance was in the  
city yesterday.

George Walker of Alexander was in the  
city yesterday.

Mrs. Minnie Foster of Wellborn was  
in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. B. Carr Sr. has been quite  
ill the past two days.

Judge J. W. Doremus left yesterday for  
a trip to Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb returned yes-  
terday from Somerville.

Miss Maud Nicol has just recovered  
from several days illness.

J. C. Boyett of the College community  
was in the city yesterday.

Ballard Moore, Ed and Will Payne  
were here from Edge yesterday.

Dr. J. W. Cavitt has been ill the past  
few days. He was out yesterday.

T. J. Preston has been confined to his  
home by illness the past few days.

C. M. Risinger of the Holligan com-  
munity was in the city yesterday.

G. R. Dickerson of Wellborn called on  
the Eagle while in the city yesterday.

Contractor J. W. Allen is out after a  
serious illness of several weeks' duration.

Rev. J. W. Baker of Lockhart was in  
the city yesterday, and went to Corsicana.

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### Crickets Numerous.

Waco, Oct. 8.—Crickets were so  
numerous here Sunday night the fire  
department had to flood the gutters to  
wash them away.

### Wheat Soars.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—May wheat Mon-  
day went to \$1.09 3-4, top price of the  
year.

A Cotton Belt locomotive turned  
over at Commerce, Tex. Fireman  
Leach was badly scalded.

D. J. Summerlin of near Mount  
Pleasant, Tex., struck a twig in an ear  
in a few days the ear swelled and  
dented resulted.

Wholesale grocery firm of Andrews,  
Bates & Co., of Cincinnati has as-  
signed. Liabilities are placed at \$85,-  
000 and assets at \$250,000.

Capt. Richmond Pearson Hobson will  
lecture at the Bryan opera house under the  
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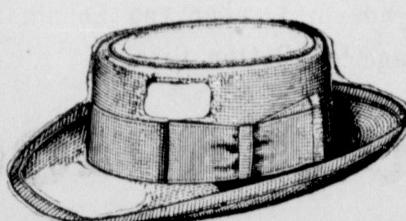
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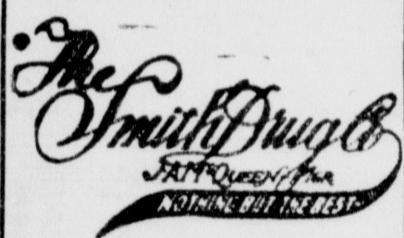
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## PRESIDENT HUNTING.

Is In the Canebrakes Seeking to Bag Bear.

Stamboul, La., Oct. 8.—Assistant Secretary Latta started out early Monday to find the president at his camp in the wilderness but at a late hour at night had not returned. It is presumed that when he arrived at the camp the president was out on his hunt, and that Secretary Latta found it necessary to remain over night. He took a number of personal letters to the president. Mr. Latta was accompanied by his host, L. A. Shields, who is familiar with the country.

The camp ground is well located, and while on lowland is not in a swamp, the site being comparatively dry. Persons who have seen the tent say it is well furnished. There is not only a plank floor, but wooden walls running up four or five feet from the ground. The table is liberally supplied with fruits, canned delicacies and so far has been supplied with fresh venison. The president commands the services of Jack Powell, a negro, who is locally celebrated as the best camp cook in the country. The camp is about eight miles distant from the house in which Assistant Secretary is established and provision has been for his complete messenger service as may be necessary. It is evidently the intention of the president to cut out all routine work except such as may be absolutely necessary. Secretary Latta's quarters are fitted up for any official service which he or the president may be called upon to perform, but the telegraph office at Stamboul is a mile or two distant.

The temporary executive office is in a large frame cottage and it requires no stretch of the imagination to call it the white house.

## "FATHER VAN" DEAD.

Turned His Great Fortune Over to Church of His Choice.

New York, Oct. 8.—Rev. Henry Van Rensselaer, a Jesuit priest, died in St. Vincent's hospital. He had been a sufferer from Bright's disease for some time.

Father Van Rensselaer was known in the parish of St. Francis Xavier, in the fire department, of which he was a chaplain, and in other circles of New York life as "Father Van." He was big, handsome and magnetic.

In 1887 he renounced the Episcopal faith, in which he was reared, and was ordained a priest in the Roman Catholic church in St. Patrick's cathedral in May of that year.

When he embraced Catholicity Father Van Rensselaer turned his great fortune over to the church. He elected to join the Jesuit Order, and for nearly 10 years he was put through the hardest kind of training. For a long time he had a lonely mission on the coast of Virginia, where he underwent actual hardship.

In 1897 he took his final vows in St. Francis Xavier's church. From that time on he was a priest in that parish. He was an eloquent orator, an enthusiast in promoting athletics and amateur theatricals among the boys of St. Francis Xavier's academy, and although he had no money of his own left, his wealthy relatives never failed him in his works of unstinting charity.

## ACAJUTLA CAPTURED.

Honduran Land Forces Victorious Over Those of Salvador.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—The Pacific Mail steamer San Jose from Panama and way stations arriving in this port Monday, brought word of the capture of the port of Acajutla in the latter part of September by the Honduran land forces after a battle with the army of Salvador.

## Declared a Canard.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Assistant Secretary of State Adear characterized as an absurd canard the report from San Francisco that Honduras land forces had captured the port of Acajutla.

## Edwards Violently Insane.

Chattanooga, Oct. 8.—D. D. Edwards who admitted, during his trial for murder last week, that he probably had killed fourteen men and who trailed Ed. Turner, the wife murderer, to his hiding place in Kentucky, went violently insane at the county jail. He suddenly pounced upon the day jailer and made a desperate attempt to secure his pistol with the avowed intention of killing the jailer himself. It required two men to overpower the maniac.

## Has Not Disappeared.

Montgomery, Oct. 8.—A Boston report that Booker T. Washington, Jr., son of the head of the Tuskegee Institute, had disappeared mysteriously from school in Boston is without foundation. His father said that he was in New York on a business trip with his consent and would be back at his books in a couple of days.

## Serious Powder Explosion.

Birmingham, Oct. 8.—Deep down in No. 5 mine of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company at Pratt City a motor car struck a sixty pound keg of blasting powder and an explosion followed. Gus Burton and Robert Cunningham, white miners, were terribly burned and will probably die. Will Cook, a negro miner, was less severely injured.

## Joint and Clubs Close.

Denison, Oct. 8.—By order of the county attorney all clubhouses and joints have closed their doors.

## Several Men Hurt.

Ennis, Tex., Oct. 8.—By a gasoline explosion at Teague several men were hurt.

## TURNER OWNS UP.

Confesses That He Took Life of His Child Wife.

Chattanooga, Oct. 7.—Ed. Turner on trial for the murder of his child wife, Little Turner, confessed his guilt and said that he committed the crime because his wife was untrue to him and defied him when he upbraided her for infidelity. Turner told one story of his life from the time he was ten years old and a more revolting recital could hardly be imagined. He is a native of Breathitt county, Kentucky. In telling of the actual murder of his wife he said:

"I had the knife in my hand with which I had been whittling and I just struck her and walked away after she fell."

Turner's counsel are making a strong fight to save the prisoner's life on the plea of temporary insanity.

## ASKS REOPENING.

August Hartje Claims to Possess Some Tell-Tale Epistles.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.—Claiming they have letters which passed between the coachman and Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje which will result in a complete reversal of the case, counsel for August Hartje the wealthy Pittsburg manufacturer appeared before the superior court here to argue on a petition for reopening the sensational suit for divorce he brought against his wife.

In the petition it recites that since the hearing of the case Mr. Hartje has secured letters written by Thomas Madine, the coachman, while he was in Ireland, to Mrs. Hartje while she was at the Hotel Victoria in London and others which she wrote to the coachman from London. He relates that he is in a position to prove that Mrs. Hartje arranged with the employees of the hotel to have the letters delivered privately to her and that she supplied Madine with envelopes addressed to herself.

He further avers that Mrs. Hartje arranged with a hair dresser, Ambrosi, of Paris to mail letters through him to Madine and that she received letters from the coachman and sent money to him through the same avenue.

Advices from Pittsburg state the confession which Thomas Madine, the coachman co-respondent is said to have been made to Mr. Hartje's representatives has made a profound impression. It was learned that Madine has married recently and is now in Belfast, Ireland with his wife. It is said Madine intends to make that place his permanent home.

Mrs. Mary Scott Martje, who is visiting at Ligonier Springs, Pa., in a telephone conversation with this city refused to discuss the new phases of the case as alleged by her husband.

The petition to the supreme court rests it is said on the discovery of a package of letters alleged to have been written by the two sisters of Mrs. Martje to Thomas Madine, the object being to show that Mrs. Hartje was guilty of the charges of intimacy brought against her by her husband.

These letters of Mrs. Hartje's sisters are alleged to contain damaging admissions.

Much documentary evidence and a confession, it is alleged, have been secured from Madine.

Within a short time it is promised a still greater sensation than that which came to light on Monday will be made public by Mrs. Hartje's counsel.

Concerning the letters alleged to have been written by Ida Scott, a sister of Mrs. Hartje, it is said they were addressed to Howard Lape of this city. It was Lape who eloped to Youngstown, O., with Ida Scott last spring, but parental objections prevented the marriage.

## BABY BOY KILLED.

One Side of the Little Fellow's Head Torn Away.

Sweetwater, Tex., Oct. 8.—A small son of W. R. Hope was dragging a shotgun into the house from the yard when the hammer came in contact with a chair, when the gun went off and instantly killed a sleeping baby boy two years old, also a son of Mr. Hope. The shot tore away one side of the child's head.

## CENTER'S CONFLAGRATION.

Five Brick Buildings and Contents Consumed In Business Part.

Center, Tex., Oct. 8.—Five brick business buildings are consumed, with contents, by fire, inflicting nearly \$40,000 loss. The insurance does not exceed \$15,000. Postoffice and large amount of mail burned also.

## Raid Made at Tyler.

Tyler, Tex., Oct. 8.—The first local raid in Tyler under the new search and seizure law was made by county officers. They raided an upstairs room and confiscated whisky in the following quantities: One gallon jug, two quart bottles and one pint bottle. It is claimed by officers that the goods were shipped here from Mineola in a trunk checked as baggage.

## Warehouse Burns.

Bay City, Tex., Oct. 8.—The rice warehouse of Plotner & Stoddard, located at Buckeye, burned and about 6,000 bushels of rough rice was destroyed. The warehouse was sixty feet by 326 and insured for \$7,500. The rice was fully insured. The loss will be about \$35,000.

## Head Nearly Severed.

Elkhart, Tex., Oct. 8.—James Lawrence, station agent here, aged sixty-five, was run over by the train and instantly killed. His head was nearly severed. An aged widow is left.

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